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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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Sir:

This communication responds to an Office Action dated August 12, 2004, concerning the above-referenced patent application. Although applicants believe that no fee is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 19-0741, including any extension of time, and to treat this authorization as a petition for any extension of time determined to be necessary for this response to be considered timely.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows:

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